MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) 3,818 including 49 candidates who underwent supplementary courses and who were not therefore eligible for college admission.

(*b*) 3,182 candidates were given certificates, of whom 1,309 were declared eligible for admission to University courses of study.

(*c*) and (*d*) A Statement * containing the information required by the member is laid on the table.

Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination Results.

18. **MR. MURUVELIL PACHU PILLAI** (*Shertallai*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of pupils in the State who appeared for the last S. S. L. C. examination (1928);

(*b*) the number among them who were granted certificates of eligibility for admission to a college;

(*c*) whether they received copy of the resolutions passed at a public meeting held at Trivandrum under the presidency of Mr. P. K. Narayana Pillai, regarding the results of that examination; and

(*d*) if so, the nature of the action they have taken on those resolutions?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) 3,818. Of these, 49 underwent supplementary courses and were thus not eligible for college admission.

(*b*) 1,309.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) The resolution was received by the Government on the 8th June 1928 which was after the Government had passed orders on the subject and so no further action was found necessary as to the last examination.

The resolution also asked that Trivandrum be made a centre for the Cambridge Certificate Examination. This question has been referred to the Director of Public Instruction for a report.

* *Vide* Appendix—page 45.

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